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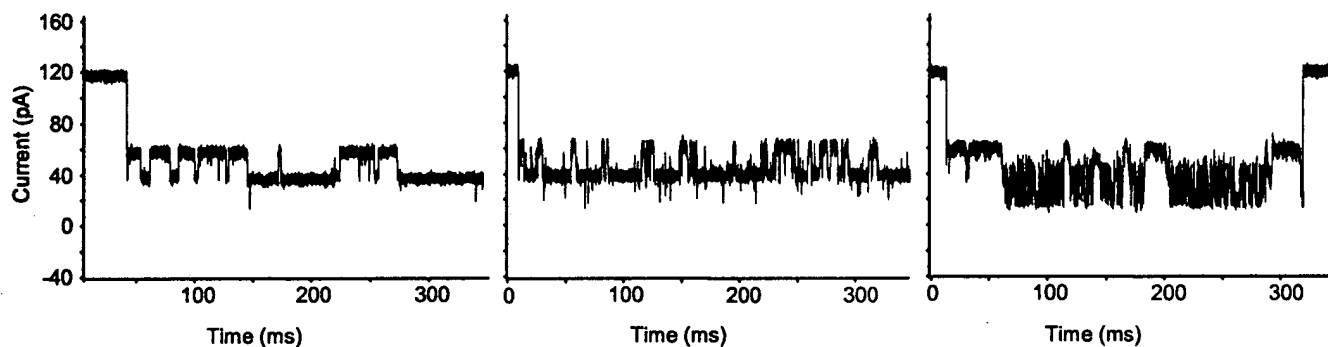


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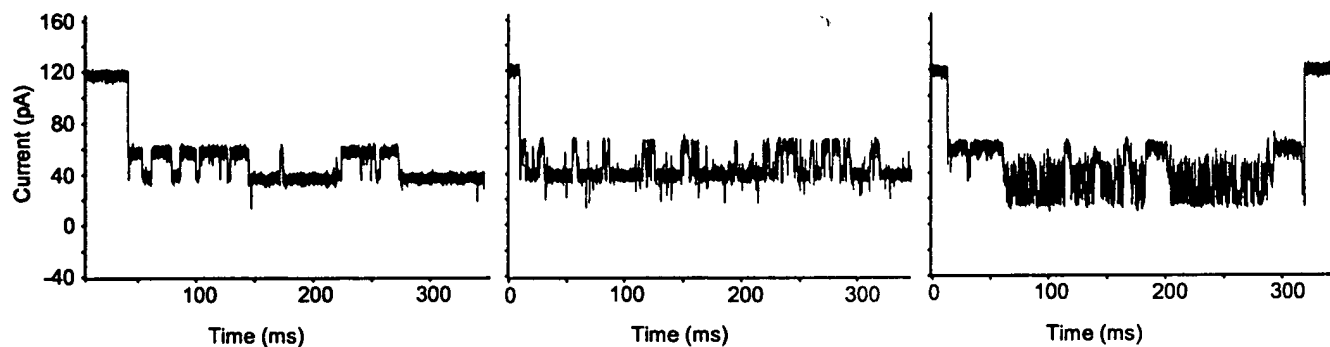


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 Table X. DNA hairpins used in this study. Primary sequence reads from 5' end at bottom right. Each hairpin has a 9 base-pair-long stem, and a four dT loop. The terminal base-pair and its nearest neighbor are highlighted by a box. These are the base-pairs in closest proximity to the pore limiting aperture when a given hairpin is captured in the α -hemolysin vestibule.

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Figure 8

Table 2. DNA hairpins used in this study. Primary sequence reads from 5' end at bottom left to 3' end at bottom right. Each hairpin has a 9 base-pair-long stem, and a four dT loop. The terminal base-pair and its nearest neighbor are highlighted by a box. These are the base-pairs in closest proximity to the pore limiting aperture when a given hairpin is captured in the α -hemolysin vestibule.

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